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July 15, 2003

Los Angeles City Mayor James Hahn released the latest version of his new LAX Master Plan on Wednesday, July 9, 2003. The people of the City of Los Angeles will have 45 days of public review for a report that has been nearly 2 years in the making. All of the public hearings scheduled for the mayor's new LAX Master Plan are scheduled during the month of August when most families are out of town on vacation.

The LAX Master Plan has been a source of great community concern and controversy for several years and up until last Wednesday, local residents, business leaders and elected officials had not see the final plan. In all fairness to the neighboring communities and local businesses which will be effected by the LAX Master Plan, the public should have more than 45 days to review and comment on thousands of pages of technical documents.

I therefore move that the Board of Supervisors send a 5 signature letter to Mayor James Hahn requesting the public review period for the LAX Master Plan be extended to at least 90 days to allow the public the greatest opportunity to review and understand the nearly \$10 billion Master Plan.

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